CITY COUNCIL ATLANTA, GEORGIA

A RESOLUTION

BY COUNCILMEMBER CLAIR MULLER

01-7-1442

A RESOLUTION TO INCLUDE IN THE CITY OF ATLANTA'S 2002 LEGISLATIVE PACKAGE, A REQUEST THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ENACT LEGISLATION WHICH WOULD EXCLUDE THE MARTA TAX FROM THE STATE IMPOSED 2% LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX CAP FOR THE PURPOSE OF A SPLOST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the City of Atlanta is desirous of seeking new methods to enhance its revenue; and

WHEREAS, a Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax (SPLOST) is one method by which revenue may be enhanced; and

WHEREAS, such a tax cannot be imposed in Fulton and DeKalb counties because the MARTA sales tax is included in the State-imposed cap of two percent; and

WHEREAS, if the MARTA tax were excluded from the two percent cap, Fulton and DeKalb Counties would be free to impose a SPLOST if approved by the voters.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA HEREBY RESOLVES
AS FOLLOWS:

The City of Atlanta's 2002 Legislative Package shall include a request that the General Assembly enact legislation which would exclude the MARTA tax from the State imposed two percent local option sales tax cap so that Fulton and DeKalb Counties would be free to impose a Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax (SPLOST) should the imposition of such a tax be approved by the voters.

Amendment Incorporated by tcp 9-26-01

A true copy,
Rhonda Waughin Johnson
Municipal Clerk, CMC

ADOPTED as amended by the Council APPROVED by the Mayor

SEP 17, 2001 SEP 25, 2001

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

01-R-1442 Request Legis. excluding the MARTA tax from state 2% local option sales tax ADOPT AS AMEND

YEAS: 11
NAYS: 1
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 3
EXCUSED: 1
ABSENT 0

NV McCarty Y Dorsey N Moore
Y Starnes Y Woolard NV Martin
Y Bond Y Morris E Maddox
Y Winslow Y Muller Y Boazman

Y Thomas Y Emmons Y Alexander NV Pitts

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□3rd □V Vote □RC Vote FINAL COUNCIL ACTION CARGO Idd TOWNOO'S CLAV MAYOR'S ACTION DEPUTY MUNICIPAL CLERK SEP | 7 2001 SEP 1 7 2001 CERTIFIED Readings □1st & 2nd SEP 2/5 2001 0 □Consent □2nd Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side) Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side) Committee Committee Members Members Refer To Refer To Action: Action: Other: Other: Date Chair Chair Date First Reading Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side) Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side) ds dres. Members (le Committee Committee Members Refer To Refer **f**o Action: Other: Action: Chair Date Chair Referred to Committee Date TX BOST A RESOLUTION TO INCLUDE IN THE CITY OF ATLANTA'S 2002 LEGISLATIVE A REQUEST THAT THE **EXCLUDE THE MARTA TAX FROM THE** ASSEMBLY ENACT LEGISLATION WHICH WOULD STATE IMPOSED 2% LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX CAP AND FOR OTHER BY COUNCILMEMBER CLAIR MULLER 01- R-1442 ADOPTED BY COUNCIL SEP 1 7 2001 As Amended LSt ADOPT 2nd READ & REFER A RESOLUTION REGULAR REPORT REFER PERSONAL PAPER REFER Referred To: Tingunce 0/4/6 ADVERTISE & REFER CONSENT REFER Date Referred Date Referred Date Referred GENERAL Referred To: Referred To: PACKAGE, PURPOSES.